

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
McALLEN DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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David J. Bradley, Clerk

v.

Criminal No. M-13-1439-S3

FIDEL SALINAS, JR.

NOTICE OF PLEA AGREEMENT

COMES NOW the United States of America, hereinafter referred to as "the Government," by and through its United States Attorney for the Southern District of Texas and its Assistant United States Attorney assigned to this matter, and would respectfully show the Court that the Government and the Defendant have entered into the following plea agreement:

1. Defendant agrees to:
 - a. plead guilty to Count 16 of the Third Superseding Indictment (once that Count has been amended to remove the second sentence, starting with "This" and ending with "value"), converting that Count into a Class A misdemeanor;
 - b. pay restitution to the County of Hidalgo in the amount of \$10,016.32 (ten thousand, sixteen U.S. dollars and thirty-two cents) with \$4,000.00 (four thousand U.S. dollars) due at sentencing and the remainder payable as ordered by the Court. (Defendant understands that the Court, in its discretion, may or may not order additional restitution.); and
 - c. forfeit any interest to the United States that he may have in the computer and external hard drive listed in the Notice of Forfeiture of the Third Superseding Indictment.
2. In return, the Government will recommend:
 - a. that the offense level decrease by 2 levels pursuant to U.S.S.G. §3E1.1(a) if the defendant clearly demonstrates acceptance of responsibility; and
 - b. that the remaining counts of the Third Superseding Indictment be dismissed at the time of sentencing.

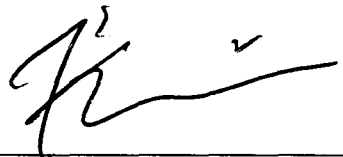
If the Defendant is not a citizen of the United States of America, a plea of guilty may result in deportation, exclusion from admission into the United States of America, or the denial of naturalization.

This document states the complete and only Plea Agreement between the United States of America and the Defendant, and is binding only on the parties to this Agreement, and it supersedes all prior understandings, if any, whether written or oral, and cannot be modified other than in writing and signed by all parties or on the record in Court. No other promises or inducements have been or will be made to the Defendant in connection with this case, nor have any promises or threats been made in connection with this plea.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

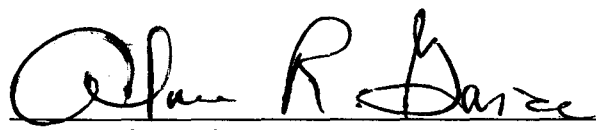
I have read this agreement and carefully reviewed every part of it with my attorney. If I have difficulty understanding the English language, I have had a person fluent in the Spanish language interpret this agreement to me.

Date: 11-20-14

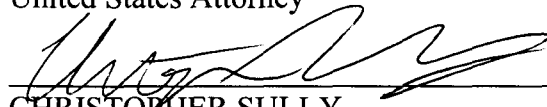
Defendant: 

I am the Defendant's counsel. I have carefully reviewed every part of this agreement with the Defendant. I certify that this agreement has been translated to my client by a person fluent in the Spanish language if my client is unable to read or has difficulty understanding the English language.


Date: 11/20/14


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United States Attorney

CHRISTOPHER SULLY
Assistant United States Attorney

APPROVED BY:


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Assistant United States Attorney in Charge